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The Twelfth Day of November, Anno Dom. 1715. In the Second Year of the Reign of Our Most Gracious Sovereign

Lord KING GEORGE,

Before His Grace CHARLES Duke of GRAFTON, and His Excellency HENRT Earl of GALLWAT, Lords Justices General and General Governors of IRELAND.

And continued under His Grace Charles Duke of Bolton, Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland, by several Prorogations to the Twenty Seventh of August, 1717.

And continued under His Grace Charles Duke of Bolton, Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland, by several Prorogations to the First Day of July, 1719.

And further continued under His Grace Charles Duke of Grafton, Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland, by several Prorogations until the Twelfth Day of September, 1721.

And further continued under His Grace Charles Duke of Grafton, Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland, by several Prorogations until the Twenty Ninth Day of August, 1723.

And further continued under His Excellency John Lord Carteret, Lord Lieutenant General and General Governor of Ireland, by several Prorogations until the Twenty First Day of September, 1725. Being the Sixth Session of this present Parliament.



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present Act to the Persons hereafter mentioned, (that is to say) a Sum
of Three Hundred Pounds Sterling to Bruen Worthington, and Two
dundred Pounds Sterling to Isaac Ambrose, Clerks of the House of
Commons, as Rewards for their respective Attendance and Services
this Session of Parliament, and the further Sum of Two Hundred
Pounds Sterling to the said Bruen Worthington and Isaac Ambrose,
as a Recompence for their Extropoinary Expence in preparing Copies

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the about of this present Act, with like Remedy of Appeal to and for be it further Enough by the Luthozity aforefaid, That all and comber one thentand tehen bandsed and executy fifth Day of December one thentand tehen bandsed and executy fifth, or who wall have at any sime from and after the faid Twenty fifth Day of December One shouland seven hundred and twenty fibe, until the Twenty fifth Day of December which will be in the Bear of our Lord Due thousand feven bundes and twenty seven inclusive, any Pifice, Balaries, Proties of Employments, fres and Penlions upon the Civil of Military Chablifoments in this kingdom, thall Pay unto His Paictly, His Beirs and Successors, the full Sum of Kour Shillings Sterling out of there Twenty Shillings a Peer which be, the or they do or that like. ceibe or be Intitled unto, by realan of luch Office, Salaries, Profits of Employments, Ices and Penlions, unless luch Perlon or Perlons of and thall Live and aqually Relice within this kingdom for and during the Space of Six Calcaner Souths at least in each of the laid Pears, which said Tax of Onty of Four Shillings Sterling out of every Twenty Stillings a Bear as aforesaid, thall be Stopped and Deduced Pearly during the Cime and Cerm aforefaid, by the Clice-Creafarer, Pap-Paller and Receiver General of Dis Paicities Revenues, and be Accounted for to Dis Paicity, Dis Deirs and Succelloss.
Provided always, And it is bereby Declared, That this Act shall not Extend to Character to Character.

not Extend to Charge the laid Car or Duty of four Shillings Sterling a Bear on every Twenty Shillings as aforefair, upon the Salary, Pention, fees of Drofies of Employment Payable to the Lord Lieutes went, or other Chief Gopernour of Governours of this Kingdom for the time being, or the Splaries, Fees, Penllons, Pay or Profits of Employment Payable to any Perlon or Perlons who thall by his of their Offices and Employments be obliged to an immediate Attendance up on the Persons of Dis Hacred Pairtly, of Their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princels of Wales, of Their Mur, during their continue ance in fuch their respective Pffices and Employments, or to the Pay of the Officers of the Army, of Ball-Pay Pincers upon the Eliabliff.

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And subsected for the better Securing luch Sum of Sums as thould be advanced. It is Prohibed by an Act Pasted in the First School of this Partiement, Incitated, An Act for continuing to His Majesty the Additional Duty on Beer, Ale, Strong Waters, Tobacco, and other Goods and Merchandizes: That such Sum or Sums of Money as should be so Advanced and Paid into Dis Majestics Treasury, should be Repaper unto such Person or Persons as should Lend or Advance the same, his, her or their Executors, Administrators or Assigns, with most Instituted and of the next Aids to be Granted by Parliament with our say Denuction.

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of the Publick Accounts for the Dembers of the Boule of Commons And alfo. The Sum of Two Bundged Pounds Sterling to John Kerr Clerk Atustant, Three Bundred Pounds Sterling to Richard Povey Sergeaitt at Arms, fot bis Attendance on the Boule of Commons, Timo Bundled and fifth Pounds Sterling to William Bayly and Henry Buckley the Clerks Attending the Committee of Accounts, and other Committees, to be equally Dibibed between them, Gighty Pounes Sterling to John Fieldhouse and Bartholomew Mc. Dannell Doog-keepers of the Boule of Commons, to be equally Divided between them, which faid feberal talt mentioned Sums are giben to the faid feberal Perfons as Remards for their Ceveral Bervices, Attendances and Expence this Sellion of Parliament; And allo, the Sum of Three Bundred Pounds Sterling to Mathew Penefather Elquire Accomptant-General, as a Reward for his Expence and Trouble in Preparing and Stating the Pub. lick Accounts of the Pation Laid before the Boufe of Commons this Sellion of Partiament; And alfo, the Sum of Two Thousand Pounds per Annum during the Space of Two Pears, be pato to the Truffees of the Linnen Panufadure, to Encourage the Railing fufficient Duantities of Demp and flar in this Bingdom ; All which faid feberal Sums are to be Paid by the Mice- Treafurer of Receiver. Beneral of this kingbom, without any further or other Warrant to be Sued for. Bad or Obtained in that behalf.

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benting the Unlawful and Clandestine Running of Goods and Perchandizes Imported into this kingdom, and for the Incouragement of the Fair Trader, have been Rendered Inestectual by the several Frauds that have been Committed and are Daily Piacifed to the great Diminution of His Pajelly's Revenue, and the Impoberishment of such Persons as Pay the Duties: And whereas for the better Tarrying on such Private and Fraudulent Trade, Exciseable Goods and Perchandizes, are frequently Taken in at Sea by Fishing Boats, or other Coasting Resserved Such Sping Boats, or other Coasting Resserved

De it Enacted by the king's moll Excellent Bajelly, by and with the Advice and Confent of the Lords Spiritual and Tempozal and Composin this present Parliament Allembled, and by the Authority of the same, That in Case any Excisable Goods, Wares or Perehandies shall after the Twenty fifth Pay of April, which shall be in the Pear of Dur Lord, Due thousand from hundred and twenty fre, be Unshipped or Taken in at Sea, or out of any Ship or Clessel what soew, in Order to be Landed, or but into any other Clessel, Ship or Boat within the Limits of any Port in this kingdom, without first Payong or Securing, according to Law, the Customs and other Duties ing or Securing, according to Law, the Customs and other Duties

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We it Enacted by the Authority aforelaid. That from and after the Twenty Fifth Day of April, which thall be in the Pear of our Lord One thouland seven hundred and twenty six, no Todacco so made up thall be Imported or Brought into this kingdom, or to any Port, Harbour, Haven or Creek thereof in any other manner than in Hoghead, Cartis or Mestes, or other Package, not containing less than Three Hundred Pound Waright from the Ale of Man, or from any other Place from and after the First Day of May, in the Pear aforesaid, upon pain of forfeiting the sain Todacco, or the Italue thereof: And indirects to the great Lois of the Rebenue and the Ruin of the Jair Creaces, great Prantities of Brandy, Strong Waters and Spirits; And also Todacco and other Gods of the Growth or Panusanure of Asis, Africa and America, are fecretly Imported into this kingdom in small Ships and Urileis or Boats, under the Burthen of Twenty Creas from the Ide of Man; For prepention of which,

Be it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Tobseco, Biandry Serong Charters, Spirits, or such Goods and Perchandises of the Growth or Bonufacture of Asia, Africa or America, Spall, from and office the fato America Fifth Day of April, Daz thousand seven humored and twenty fir, he imported or brought into the Kingdom of Ireland, or into any Post, Barbour or Creek thereof from the Ide of Man, or that he found in any Ship, Ciellel or Boat, under the Burthen of Twenty Cums from the Ide of Man, except for the private then of the Poster, Scamen and Postengers on Board fresh Ship of Ciellel, or Boat, not excepting Two Pounds Wheight of Cobacco, and One Gallon of Brandy, Strong Whaters or Spirits for each Seaman

and Pastenger, very such Sip, Westel or Boat, with all her Tackle's furniture and Apparel, or the Clasue thereof; And also such Tabaccos Biandy, Strong Waters, Spitits or any Goods of the Giowah or Panusadure of Asia, Asica or America, shall be freeseited, and shall and may be Seized by any Officer of the Revenue; and in Take such Classes of the Bestel in which such Boods were Imported, shall Mortist the Clasue thereof, One Poiety of which freeleiture shall be for the Use of His Pajetty, His Petrs and Successors, and the other Poiety to him or them who shall Insorm or Suc sor the same, and shall and may be Recovered in such manner as is herein after mentioned. And sor the better preventing of Frances in Drawbacks.

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We it further Cnacked by the Authority aforelaid, That from and after the First Day of April Due chousand seven hundred and thresty by, so Allowance half be made to such Prechant of Apported of Page with made for or on Account of any Drawback that he may be much tisked to upon the Exportation of any Bows, unlike over and above the Dath and the Certificate already required, the Pastice also of the Ship of Aeste in which the said Gods are to be Appointed, small makes Dath before the Collector or other Chief Wifficer of the Popt where such Goods are Shipped, that to the best of the Popt where such Gods are Shipped, that to the best of the Popt where will not Permit or Suffer the said Gods, or may back of the Will not Permit or Suffer the said Gods, or may back of their sold be Relanded in any Port, Creek or Paven of the Kingdom of Ireland, whele in Case of Real Distress to sappethe Gods Competitions; whele the said Collected or Charles to sappethe Charles Horses Inperiors and Requires to Anniether

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And whereas the Persons that are Employed in Running Goods, and Descauding his Pajelly of the several Duties Payable for Exciseable Goods and Perchandizes, are greatly Encouraged in such Clandeline Crave by such Persons as for their private Lucre Receive, Sell and Buy such Goods and Perchandizes; Albertope for the better Discovery of, and Predention of the Sale of all Goods and Perchandizes, and Commodities whatsoever which are liable to any Duties of Excise, and so which no Duty hath been Paid of Entry Pade, of that have not been Legally Conveniend.

First Day of April, which that be in the Pear of our Lozd One thousand seven hundred and twenty Us, in Case any Person or Persons thall knowingly Parbour, keep or Conceal, or thall knowingly Person to Suffer to be Parboured, keep or Concealed, or thall knowingly Person to Suffer to be Parboured, keep or Concealed, or thall Sell or Expose to Sale, or Buy any such Exciseable Gods or Persons thall over knowing that the same were Kun, such Person or Persons thall over and above the Forsetture of such Gods, Forseit and Lose Treble the Claime of such Gods.

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And whereas by the Laws relating to the Ercile, it is amongst other Things Enacted, That if any Disterence of Patter of Controverse should happen to Arise between any Perchant, Trader or Dealer, and the Commissioners, Sub-Commissioners, Collectors, or other Officers therein mentioned, It might be Lawful for every such Person or Persons to make his Appeal to the Lord Lieutenant, Deputy, or other Chief Governour or Governours and Privy Council of Ireland, or such as they should appoint under the Great Seal.

Ind to bereas there is no time limitted in and by the fair Laws for bringing such Appeal, whereby great Anconveniencies have happened as well to the Subject as to His Pajellies Revenue; For Remedy whereof,

Be it Enaced by the Authority oforetaid, That furth Person or Persons who shall think himself or themselves Agricord by any Indgement of Sentence of the said Commissioners, Sub-Commissioners, Colleges, or other Officers, shall make hist her or their Appeal unto the said Lord Lieutenant, Lord Deputy, or other Chief Governour or Governours and Prior Council of Ireland, or such as shall be appointed by Commission under the Great Seal pictuant to the sate Laws, with in the Space of Civo Calender Ponths next after such Sentence of Indonesian, and in Default thereof, That no Appeal shall be afterwards Received.

And whereas it frequently happens that vivers Gods and Perchandists are brought into Dis Wajellies Store Poules for want of being Entred, and because the Duties are not Paid and Secures as the Law Dictor, which Cods to offen Remain there for to long actime that they become Warilley and of nor Malue, whereby his Patelly hath toll the Duties Payable on the Importation of the laid Goods of Northebration thereof,

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The it Chares by the Authority afoielato, That; from and affet the law first Day of April, which will be in the Peat of our Lord Office thousand seven bundzed and twenty sir, the Commissioners of the Respense, or any Three or more of them, the Collectors, or other Chief Officer of the Pare for the Time being in tweet respective Districts, in all Cales where Goods are or shall be brought into His Dajelies Store. Pouses, for the Security of the Culloins or other Duties Dise thereon, shall cause all Gods to brought into His Dajelies Store. Pouses as aforeful, which shall have remained there for the space of Six Bonths, the Subsides and Duries not Path, or otherwise Secured as the Law Directs, to be Publickly Sold by Aurion of Inch of Candals as son as conveniently they can, and after furth Sale, the Produce thereof shall be first Applied towards the Papineist of the Cultions and Duries Due therethon, and in the next plate the Charges of the American Courses Due therethon, and in the next plate the Charges of the American Courses Due therethon, and in the next plate the Charges of the American Course Room, Freight and other Charges, and the Dierock the Charges the lame.

Probles almays, That before any such Sale of Goods that be made, Ope Pourtes Potice thereof, and of the Place, Day and House of making such Sale, half Eudschie be wolten up at the Custom-House, and also ar the Thouse of Parket Boate of the Post where the taid Sale is to be made.

And be it further Enacted by the Auchosity afoselaid. That, from and after the Twenty fifth Bay of April, Dire thouland leven hundred and twenty liv, all any every Petion and Persons who that be found bealing, knowingly and withingly with any Critically Boos of Commodities Laured, from any Sup of theftel without the but Entry and Dayment of the Duties Chargeable thereon in his, her or their Cullograms any of the Coalis of this kingvoin within the frace of Centrices of any of the laid Coalis, and hat he five of more in Company, and hall where any Iliato, wask, or other Disguiste, when Balling with luck Coals of Tommodities as attretail, that, being Combined thereof, he Dismed and Taken, and Abinvied Builty of Felony, and that for such his, her or their Othere be Transported as a feton to some of His Paicilies Plantations in America, there to temain for the space of Beton Bears, and in Case any such Diffender or Offensons that feeton Bears, he, he or they a Recurring that Builty as Felons, and have Greentian Awarded against him, but or their as Persons Attaints fool Felony wiedons Bearst of Clergy or of the Statistic.

Provided always, and be it Enacted by the Authority aforefait. That it my Person who that he Guilty of any Offence of Felony aforementation, Will within Chase Wouths after fuch his Offente, and before to Conviction, Discovery Two of more of his Accomplices therein, to the Commissioners of Discovering, to any one of more of them, to as they Accomplices, we any two of them it least be Convicted of luch Discovering, that he clearly Acquitted and Discharged of and from such his or her Offence.

and whereas frequent Difputes Do happen between the Derchants and Officers of the Cuftoms touching and concerning Damaged Wines. the same depending for the most part on the Gaste thereof.

And whereas wich Corupt Mines are highly Pitjubicial both to Bis Paicitics Revenuc, and the Bratth of Dis Pajellies good Subieng of this kingdom; for the effectual preventing thereof,

Be it Cnacted by the Authority afortaid, That in Cafe any Berthant or other Person wall find his wine, or any part thereof, in his Judas ment fo Damaged, Corrupt of Unmerchantable, as not to be Worth the Duties, in Such Cafe luch Perchant Mall have Liberty immediate. ly after the Landing the laid Willies, to Stabe and Spill the fame in the Pielence of Cuch Diticer of Diticers as Mall be appointed for that purpose by the Commissioners of Dis Palellies Revenue, or any Three or more of them, or the Collector or other Chief Diticer of the Bort where the faid waines mall be Imported, and that the Perchant fo Stabing and Spilling fuch Wine, Gall be Repaid the whole Dury Paid by him for the lame, without any Delay, Charge, fre or Dee buction, on any pretence whatfoever; and that in Deber to Certifie the Muantity of Wine to Delitoped, the proper Pfacer appointed for Difftharge of the Ship Importing the fame, thall make an Entry thereof at the fot of the Perchants Warrant.

And be it further Chared by the Authorty aforelaid, That, ober and abobe the Duties Repaid as aforefait, the Perchant or other Berfon Mall for chery Tunn of Wine of the Growth of Germany, or Wints which Pay Duties as luch, to Wellroped, be allowed as a Compensation for the freight and other Charges the Sum of four Pounds': And for chery Tunn of Wine of the Growth of France, to Deffroyed, the Sum of Forty Shillings; And for Waines of the Growth of Portugal, Spain, and elfewhere, the Sum of Sir Pounds, and fo proportionably for a greater or leffer Duantity, which Allowances hall without any Delay be Paid by Certificate out of the Duties Papable to Dis Paielly. and the proper Dfficet or Dfficers are bereby Required and Directed to Pake and Pay fuch Certificate without fre of Reward.

Provided, And be it Enaded by the Authority aforetain, Chat any thing berein contained, or to be done in Execution thereof, that! not Ertend or be Confirmed to Extent to Diminich or Leffen the Duties of Prizage or Butlerage of waines Due upon the Importation of the fame, but that the fame thall be Collected and Pato in the fame manner as if this Act bad never been mede. Bergulen alfudys, auch beit Endited

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And whereas it frequently bappens in several Pozts of this kingdons, that upon the Arrival of many Ships, at the same time there are not Officers of His Pajellies Revenue sufficient in such Pozt of Wisteria, to take the Charge and Care of the law Ships upon them, by which means the Collector or other Chief Officer of such Port of Wisteria is obliged to Employ other Persons, and Place them in such Ships of Aesters for the better Collecting and Sciuting His Pajellies Revenue:

And whereas such Persons so appointed are frequently Doltruded by the Masters of such Ships of Messels, and other Evil Pinded Persons, on pretence that such Persons so Deputed are not Legal and Commissioned Officers 3 sor Remedy whereof,

anderly sideshirt We it Enacted by the Authority aforclait, That if any Baller of other Derson having the Charge of any Ship of Willel, Mall retule to pris mit any werfon or Perions Authorized or Denuted by any Wariting Signed by the Collegor or other Chief Difficer of the Port or Plate Where fuch Ship or Wellel Wall Arive, to take the Care and Charge of fuch Ship or Wieffet apon him or them, or to Enter into fach bis Ship, Mellel. Babbard, Bop, Barque of Boat, of remain on Board, of matt Lett, Winder or Doftruit luch Werlon of Berlons to Weputed in boing or performing fuch Patters and Chings as he of they Walt be Authoriset of Deputed to do of perform as aforefaid, the Maller of other Werfon to Offending Call, for every luch Diffence foifeit the Sum of fifty Bounds, to be recovered in mainer as is Directo in and by an Ad made in the Fourteenth Pear of the Reign of Ming Charles the Scrond, Intitled, An Act for Settling the Excise and New Impost upon His Majesty; His Heis and Successors, according to the Book of Rates therein Inferted. In grante and marginal matter

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And whereas the Officers of His Pajellies Revenue, and their Allies tants, are very frequently Alfaulted and Beaten in the Due and Legal beiging and Securing of Excitable Gods Imported into this kingdom,

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An ACT to Prevent Marriages by Degraded Clergymen and Popish Priests, and for preventing Marriages Consummated from being Avoided by Precontracts, and for the more effectual Punishing of Bigamy.

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CHAP. III.

DER CAS Clandelline Parriages are for the molt part Celebrated by Popith Priests and Degraded Clergymen, to the maintest Ruin of Leveral Families within this Kingdom; For

Remedy whereof Be it Enaced by the Bing's Soft Excellent Bajelly, by and with the Advice and Confent of the Lords Spiritual and Cemporal and Commons in this pretent Partiament Allembled, and by the Authority of the fame, That if any Popin Priett, or Reputed Popith Priett, or Perton petending to be a Popith Pricit, or any Degraben Cirragman, or any Lapman pretending to be a Clergyman of the Church of Ireland as by Law Etablifico, hall after the Amenty Fifth Day of April, in the Pear of our Lord Due thousand seven hungred and twenty fir, Celebrate be take upon him to Celebrate any Parriage bermeen two Protestants or reputed Protestants, or between a Protestant or reputed Protestant and a Papill, fuch Popity Priett, or reputed Popith Priett, and fuch Degraded Clergyman and Layman pretending to be a Clergyman, thatt be, and is hereby declared to be Builty of Fedony, and Wall Suffer Death as a felon without Benefit of Clergy, or of the Statute; And for the better Difcovering and Convicting furb Diffenders.

Be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be Lambul to and so; any Two Justices of the Peace in their respective Counties, by Marrant or Marrants under their Hands and Seals, Directed to any Constable or Constables, to Summon any Person or Persons subjected to be Parried by such Popish Priest or Degraded Clergyman, or Layman pretending to be a Clergyman of the Church of Ireland as by Lam Chablisted, or to have been present at the Celebration of such Parriage, to Appear before such Justices at the Cime and Place in such Marrant mentioned, not being more than Cen Wiles distanction his, her or their usual Place of Above, and to Cramine such Person or Persons upon Path, where, and by what Person or Persons, and with what Form and Cremonies such Parriage was Celebrated, and what Religion the Person or Persons so Parried Protesso, and what Religion the Person or Persons so Parried Protesso, and what Religion the Person or Persons so Parried Protesso, and what Religion the Person or Persons so Parried Protesso, and what Religion the Person or Persons so Parried Protesso, and what Religion the Person or Persons so Parried Protesso, and what Person are Celebrated, and what Person are Celebrated when the present at such Parriage.

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intent and meaning of this Ad, fuch Perfon of Perfons to refufing of negleding to Appear, babing no Lawful Impediment, or refufing to be Examined and Anlwer, or after Examination, refuling to Enter into Recognizance as afozelaid, thall be Committed by the laid Juftices to the common Goal of the faid County, there to remain without Bail or Mainprize for the space of Three Pears, unless be, the or they watt Cooner Submit to be Cramined as afozelaid befoze the laid Julices of the Peate, or Due of them, or in Cale of their Ablence of Refusal, before come other Justice of the Peace for the laid Country and Hall Enter into a Recognizance to Appear at the next General Alizes to be Belo for the County where the Offence was committed, to Profecute fuch Person of Persons as Wall Appear by such Examination to have Mifended contrary to the true Intent and Peaning of this Act, in which Cafe, it wall and may be Lawful to and for fuch Julice of the Peate by Marrant under his Pand and Seal Directed to the Goaler of keeper of the laid Goal, to Deliber and Discharge luch Person of Persons out of the laid Goal, and from his, her of their Commitment as afores

Probled, That no luch Examination hall Subject the Party Eramined to any Profecution, Penalty or Forfeisute whatforber, or be Abmitted to be given in Empenee against the Person so Examined, unless such Person hall be Indicted too having committed wilful Perjury in such

Gramination.

And whereas come Doubts have Arilen whether Parriages Consummated by Carnal knowledge can be avoided by Precontracts without Consummation, which has been the Ground of many Aeratious Suits; for Remedy whereof, and to prevent all Doubts concerning the same for the future.

Be it Enaded and Declared, That no Contract of Parriage only, not Confummated by the Carnal knowledge of the Parties, thall be of any foice towards making Moid a Sublequent Parriage Confummated

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And whereas by an Act made in the Reign of King Charles the first, Intitled, An Act for the Restraining of all Persons from Marriage till their former Wives and sormer Husbands be Dead: It is Enaced, That it any Person or Persons being Partied, or which hereafter shall Party, do at any time Parry any Person or Persons, to somer Husband or malife being alibe, That then every such Offence shall be felony, and the Person or Persons so Offending shall suffer Peath as in Case of Felony.

And whereas divers Perlons, having been found Guilty of such Difence, have yet Escaped the Punishment of Death by Claiming the Beenest of the Clergy or of the Statute, Be it Enaced by the Authority aforesaid, That from and after the First Day of November, One thousand seven hundred and twenty sir, It any Person condited of such Offence shall Claim the Benesit of Clergy, or of the Statute, and such Claim shall be by the Court allowed, such Person instead of being Burned in the Pand, shall by the said Court be Divered to be Transported to some of Dis Pajesties Plantations in America, and shall be Transported accordingly in such manner as Persons Condition of a Capital Felony, are to be Transported.

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eberg Spaner Shillings ober and about the first Funded Pounde DR the greater Cale of Sheriffs in the Execution of their Of fices, and Palling their Accounts; Be it Enanted by the Bing's Dolt Ercellent Pajelly, by and with the Addice and Confest of the Lords Spicitual and Temporal and Commons in this prefent Parliament Affembled, and by the Authought of the same, That the leveral Officers of His Paielties High Court of Chancery, and Court of Exchequer in this hingdom, and their respective Substitutes, Deputies, Agents and Clerks, and all other Ofarets and Perfons whatfocuet, Daving and Claiming any fee of Reward whattoeber from any Sheriff, Deputy-Sheriff og Sub-Sheriff, for making out his or their Patents or Commissions, or the Dedimus for Swearing them into their Dffice, or for Entring their Recognizance of Security, of for Wirling out and Return of their Process of for their Appolals of Calling out of Court, of for Palling their Accounts, of for making their Quietus eft, of for any other Patter of Thing touching of concerning their Sheriffalty, may, from and after the Twenty Fifth Day of April, in the Pear of our Lozd Due thouland feven hundred and twenty lie, feverally and respectively for themtelves and the Persons for whom they Act or Officiate; Take and Rereive for their Pains and Service in the Patters aforelaid, the leveral fees or Sums of Money in the Schoolle or List hereafter mentioned and specified over and belides the Allowance on the Establishment; All which frees in the faid Schedule mentioned, the faid feveral Officers, Deputies, Clerks, and other Persons, may Claim, Cake and Receive from time to time, and hall not Demand, Take of Receive any other of greater fee of Reward whatfoever, in any wife touthing of conterning the Premisses in the said Schedule mentioned, or any other patter of Thing relating to the Patent, or Swearing of any Sheriff any County mentioned in the faid Schedule, or to the Passing of his counts, and it any person wait when therein, such person watt for to the Party Agrieber fibe Pounds, and Treble the Sum by him taken ober and above the juft fees menetionen in the fair Schedule, toges

ther with his Treble Colls, all which thall be Dedered, Awarded and Gisten to the Party Agrieved, by the Court of Exchequer, on Complaint and Proof of such Offence Pave and Exhibited before the Barons of the said Court, in such those and Summary Way and Pethod as to

them Wall feem meet.

And be it Gnaces by the Anthonity aforecaid. That, from and after the Cimenty fifth Day of April, in the Pear of our Lord Due thou. land feven hundred and twenty ar, all Sherells who wall meby any Pobts, Duties, or Sams of Ponep whatforber, (ercept Poll fines) Duc. of hereafter to be Due to Die spajelle, Die Dries of Buccellags, by 10:00 rels to them Directed upon the Summons of the Pipe or Green War by Levari Facias out of the Court of Exchequer, that from time to time for their Care, Pains, and Charges, and for their Encouragement there in, have an Allowance upon their Accounts of Twelve Pence out of every Twenty Shillings for any Sum not exceeding Dne Bundied Pounds to by them Levier of Colleged, and the Sum of Six Pence only for every Twenty Shillings over and above the first Hundred Pounds. and for all Webts. Duties and Sums of Soney (except Poll Fines) Due, of to become Due to His Pajelly, His Being and Succellos, by Process and Fieri Facias, and Extent Affining out of any of the Offices of the law Court of Exchequer, the Sun of One Shilling and Six Pence out of every Twenty Shillings, for any Sum not Exceeding Due Hundred Pounds to by them Bebied of Collected, and the Sum of Cwelve Pence only for every Twenty Shillings over and above the First Bundred Pounds.

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And be it Enaced by the Authority aforesaid, That no Sherist of Sub-Sherist shall be Attached or Taken into Custody by any Officer of the Court of Exchequer, or other Person whatsoeber, for not being Apposed on any worit or Process sor not finishing his Accounts in due time, or for any Contempt or pegled whatsoeber relating to his Account, but by Whit under the Seal of the said Court of Exchequer, or by Marrant sor that purpose to be Signed by the Lord Chief Baron of the said Court for the Time being, or in his Absence by either of the other Barons, to be Grecuted by the Pursbant of the said Court, of his Deputy, in which Marrant, the Pame of such Specist or Sub-Specist shall be particularly inserted, and His Offence particularly specisted and expressed.

And be it Chacter by the Authority aforefaid, for preventing Delays and unnecessary Attenuants of Seberts in Passing their Accounts, That, from and after the Twenty fifth Day of April, One thousand seven humbled and twenty six, it any Officer, Clerk, or other Person concerned in or about the Passing Secrets Accounts, shall willfully retard or hinder any Oherist in the Passing his Accounts, or by his willful Pegleit, Absence, or other undue Deans or Mays prevent any Oherist from being Apposed or Cast out of Court in due time, or after Oherist from being Apposed or Cast out of Court in due time, or after Openish

payment of Cenver of his of their due Fees herein Alcertained, Mail tefule of neglest to Amoll, Pake out, Sign and Deliver his Quietus in due time, in every such Cale the Persons so Psterioing Hall make such latisfaction and recompence to the Party Agricued as Hall be Avinged, Ordered of Decreed by the Barons of the Court of Exchequer, upon Complaint thereof Pade and Exhibited before them in such short and Summary May and Pethod as to their shall frem meet:

And whereas great Inconveniencies have Arifen by the Weath of

Sheriffs During the time of their Sheriffalty,

me it Enaued by the Authority aforefato, That if any Vigh She tiff of any County of this Kingdom thall happen to De before the Erdication of Wetermination of his Year, or before he be fawfulty dunescensed, in furb Cale the Ander-Sherist of Devuty Sherist by him appointed thall nevertheless continue in his Water and thall Erecute the fame, and all things belonging thereunto in the Pame of the fair Decealed Sheriff, until another Sheriff be appointed for the faid Couns g, and Sworn in manner as is berein after Diretted; And the farb Under-Sheriff of Peputy-Sheriff hall be antwerable for the Execution of the fair Diffice in all things, and to all tripeds, intents and purpoles whatloever ouring luch Interval as the High Sheriff to Wecealer would by Law have been if he bad been Living, and the Security win in to the Digh Sheriff to Weccased by the late Under-Sheriff and his Diedaes. Wall fland, remain, and be a Security to the Bing, Bis Deirs and Successors, and to all Persons whatfoeber, for such Unver-Sheriffs due performance of his Dface during luch Interbal.

And whereas the Office of Sub-Sheriff of Ander-Sheriff, and other Offices and Places in the Wilpolal of the Vigh Sheriff, have of late Pears been frequently Solv and Lett to Farm, whereby many great Incommences have happened to the Subjects of this kingdom by the Oppicitions and Exactions of Sub-Sheriffs of Under-Sheriffs, Baisliffs, and other Officers concerns in the Execution of the King's Pro-

cels : For Remedy whereof,

We it Enacted by the Authority aforelaid. That from and after the Twenty fifth Day of April, in the Pear of our Low Die thoutfand feven hundred and twenty fir, it wall not be lawful to or for any person of Persons whomsoever to Buy, Sell, Lett of Take to Farm the Dfare of Sub-Sheriff of Ander-Sheriff, Weputy-Sheriff, Stal-keeper, County Clerk, Shire Clerk, Goaler, Bailiff, or any other Diffice og lace pertaining to the Office of High Sheriff of any Counties of Dires of this kingdom, or to Contract for, Promite or Grant, for Poney, or other Reward or Benefit, the faid Offices or Plates, or any of them, or to Bibe, Take, Promite or Receive any other Confiveration whattoever for the faid Wiffices, or any of them, virently or invirently by themselbes, or any Person in Trust for them of for their alle, and Mboloeber Mall Wiffend therein, Mall Forfett the Sum of Five Bundsed Pounds, a Pointy whereof to His Pajelly. His Beirs and Succellors, and the other Pointy thereof to luch Perfon or Perions as wall Sue for the lame, to be recovered by Action of Webt, Will, Plaint or Information, in any of Dis Spaielly's Courts of Record at Dublitt, in which no Elloin, Protection, of Wager of Law thatt be allowed, not any more than

than one Imparlance : Probided, That luch Suit he Commenced with in Two Pears after luch Offence Committed, and not otherwise.

Probided, That nothing berein before contained that any ways bin ber or prevent such Digh Sheriff from Constituting and Appointing a Sub-Sheriff, Ander-Sheriff or Deputy. Sheriff to An in his ficat as by Law be ought to bo, not to hinder the Sub-Sherick of Unberifferiff. in Cale of the Bigh Sheriffs Death when he Acts as Bigh Sheriff from Conflituting og Appointing a Deputy, which be is bereby 3m powered to do, not to Hinder, Prevent of Abridge fuch Sheriff, Suh Sheriff of Under Sheriff from Demanding, Caking of Receiving the Bull and Lawful fees and Perquilites of the Office of Sheriff, or any Place or Implopment pertaining thereunto, or nominating or appoint ing any luch Officer, of from taking Security for the bue Antwering the fame, not to Discharge, Binder of Prevent fuch Sub-Sheriff, Under Sheriff, Deputy-Sheriff, Seal-Meeper, County Clerk, Shire Cierk Boaler, Bailift, oz other Perlon Babing of Executing any Place of De. fice under fuch Sheriff from Accounting to the Digh Sheriff for att fuch Just and Lawful Fees and Perquisits as thall by them of any of them be Taken and Received in their respective Offices, Places and Imployments, not for giving Security to to do, not to Pindet of Pite bent the Bigh Sperist from Allowing or Securing luch Sallary or Recompence to his Sub-Sheriff of Under-Sheriff, Deputy-Sheriff. Seal-Reeper, County Clerk, Shire Clerk, Boaler, Bailiff, of other Officer for the Execution of the Caid Offices, Places of Employments, or any of them, as to him wall frem meet, nor to Hinder of Prevent the Under-Sheriff, Deputy-Sheriff, Seal-Reeper, or other Difficer of Perlon aforementioned from Taking and Receiving fuch Sallary of Recompence for his of their Pains and Services therein.

And for the more effectual Enforcing and Obliging the respective Clerks of Assize, Clerks of the Peace, or other Persons to whom it both or may belong, to make Returns of Chreats into the Court of Exchequer, to Pake out and Deliver their respective Edirects, Duplicates, Certificates and Schedules in due time, so that the Sherists may be not hindred or retarded in the passing their Accounts for want of the

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Be it Enaced by the Authority aforelaid, That it shall and may be Lawful to and for the Barons of the Court of Exchequer from time to time to Amerce such Clerk of Assis, Clerk of the Peace, or other Person to whom it both or may belong, to make Returns of Estreats into the said Court of Exchequer, for refusing, neglecting or omitating to perform and do his or their Duty in returning the said Estreats, and to cause the said Amerciaments to be Levied and Answered by such Mays and Peaus, and in such Panner as other Amerciaments set in the said Court, may or have been used to be done.

And for preventing of Opprellions and Injures which may happen to His Pajellies Subjects by the Abule of Speriffs, Sub-Sheriffs, Bailiffs, and others Employmed in Levying and Collecting any Webts, Paties, or Sums of Poney Due, or hereafter to become Due to His Pajelly, His Vetes or Successors, by Process of the Court of Exchequer.

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Be it Enaced by the Authority aforesaid, That no Sheriff, Sub-Sheriff of Ander-Sheriff, Bailiff, of other Perlon Employed in Lebring of Collecting any the faid Debts, Duties of Sums of Poney, mall Take, Ask of Receive any fee, Gratuity of Reward whatfoeber of the Perlon of Perlons liable to Pay the laid Debts, Duties of Sums of Money, of of any other Person for or upon pretence of such Leby= ing of Colleging, ertept the Sum of four Pence only for an Acquittance for fuch Sum as Mall be fo Levied or Collected, which Acquit= tance, fuch Dificer is hereby required to gibe and beliber to the Perfon upon of from whom fuch Debts Mall be Levied of Collected, of Receibed, and the Bailift og other Perlon Receibing fuch Debt og Sum of Doney Wall from time to time Antwer and Account for the fame to the Sheriff or his Sub-Sheriff, or Weputy, and may require also an Acquittance from luch Sheriff oz bis Deputy for luch Sum, who are hereby reanired to gibe the fame without any fee of Reward, of, and from which Debts and Sums of Money to Levied, Collected of Received as aforts laid, the laid Sheriffs and every of them, thall effectually Difcharge the faid Debtois and Perfons respectibely by Cotting and Antwering the fame to Dis Pajelly, Dis Beirs and Succestors, upon their respective Accounts in the Exchequer; And in Cale any Sheriff, Sub-Sheriff, Under Sheriff, or Deputy Sheriff that Nihil, or not duly Antwer to the Crown any Debt of Sum of Money to Levied, Collected of Receibed, luch Sherift, Sub-Sherift, Under-Sherift og Deputy-Sherift, tot every luch Ditence Mall forfeit Treble Damages to the Party Actieved, and double the Sum which is Nihiled of not duly Answerto as aforelaid, which laid Damages and Penalty thall be Didered, Decreed and giben to the Perfon Agriebed by the Court of Exchequer, on Complaint and Proof of luch Abule as aforelaid, Pade and Erhis bited before the Barons of the laid Court in fuch thort and Summary Way and Pethod as to them hall feem meet; And in Cafe any She riff, Under-Sheriff, Deputy-Sheriff, Bailiff, or other Perlon thall prefume to Demand, Cake of Receive any Sum of Sums of Poncy whatforber, be the fame more of lefs, of any Perfon whatforber, from whom any Debt of Sum of Poncy is of thall be Due of Papable to the Crown by Process out of the Court of Exchequer, for or in respect, or upon pretence of Executing the laid Process, or for, or in respect, or upon pretence of Fees due to them of any of them, for Colleging of Rereiving the fame contrary to the true Intent and Peaning of this. Act, og if any of the Officers of Persons aforelaid Mall Demand, Take and Receive any Sum of Sums of Poney whatfoever for not Levying, or forbearing to Levy any Debts, Duties, or Sums of Poncy, which are of wall be Due to his Pajetry, Dis Veirs and Successors, and Written out to them of any of them, by the Process aforesato; In all and every fuch Cate every Person so Offending, and being thereof Lawfully Conviced, Mall be Avjudged, Deemed and Taken to be Guilty of Ertoition, Injultite and Oppiellion, and all and every luch Petion and Perlong being thereof Lawfully Convided, thall Fosfeit for every such Of fence Treble Damages and Colls to the Party Agrieved, and double the Sum to Extorted; All which Damages and Penalties thall be Debered, Decreed and Given by the Barons of the Court of Exchequer; upon

upon Complaint and Proof of Cuch Extortion Pade and Exhibited his fore them, in such thort and Summary May or Pethod as to them thall feem meet as aforesaid, Probled such Conduction be had and made within Two Years after such Offence committed, and not otherwise.

Provided, That nothing in this Act contained thall be Construct to deprive any Sherist of such Poundage or Allowance as is allowed and given to them by Alextue of this or any other Act of Parliament made in this kingdom, but that the said Sherists that and may Enjoy the full Benefit and Advantage of such Poundage or Allowance without any Impeachment or Polesiation whatsoever, any thing in this Act contained to the contrary thereof in any wife notwithstanding.

And be it further Enaced by the Authority atoretald, That what ther Diders of Wecrees thall be made by the Barons of the Exchequer for Colis, Wamages and Penalties in the Cales afore mentioned, or any of them, or in any other Cale in this Ad bereafter mentioned, by Mertue and in pursuance of this Ad in such Mort and Summary May and Pethod as is berein before Wireded and Prescribed, thall have the same Effect, Force and Alertue to all intents and purposes as any other Order or Wecree of the same Court, and the said Colis, Wamages and Penalties, thall be Raised, Levied and Obrained by such Process, Ways and Pethods as are used in the said Court, to Enforce a Compliance with any other Orders or Wecrees of the same Court.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That instead of the Dath usually Administred to the Sherists of this Kingdom at the Entring upon their Offices, the following Dath thall be Taken

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A. B. Do Swear, That I will Well and Truly Serve the King's Majelty in the Office of Sheriff of the County of promote His Majesty's Profit in all things that belong to my Office as far as I legally can or may: I will Truly preferve the King's Rights and all that belongeth to the Crown, I will not Affent to Lessen or Conceal the King's Rights, or the Rights of His Franchises, and whensoever I shall know that the Rights of the Crown are concealed or withdrawn, be it in Lands, Rents, Franchises, Suits or Services, or in any other Matter or Thing, I will do my utmost to have them restored to the Crown again, and if I may not do it my felf, I will Certifie and Inform the King thereof, or some of his Judges: I will not Respite or Delay to Levy the Kings Debts for any Gift, Promife, Reward or Favour, where I may Haife the same without great Grievance to the Debtors: I will do Right as well to Poor as to Rich, in all things belonging to my Office : I will do no Wrong to any Man for any Gift, Reward or Promise, nor for Payour of Hatred: I will Disturb no Mans Right, and will Truly and Faithfully Acquit at the Exchequer all those of whom I shall Receive any Debts or Duties belonging to the Crown: I will take nothing whereby the King may Lofe, or whereby his Right may be Disturbed, Injured or Delayed: I will truly Return and Truly Serve all the King's Writs according to the best of my Skill and Knowledge: I will take no Bailiffs into my Service but fach as I will Answer for, and will cause each of them to take such Oaths as I do in what belongeth to their Business and Occupation: I will Truly Set and Return reasonable and due Issues

of them that be within my Bailiwick according to their Estate and Circumstances, and make due Pannels of Persons able and sufficient, and not suspected or procured, as is appointed by the Statutes of this Realm: I have not Sold nor Lett to Farm, nor Contracted for, nor have I Granted or Promised for Reward or Benefit, nor will I Sell or Lett to Farm, nor Contract for, or Grant for Reward or Benefit by my self, or any other Person for me or for my use, Directly or Indirectly, my Sherisfwick, or any Bailiwick thereof, or any Office belonging theremato, or the Profits of the same to any Person or Persons whatsoever: I will Truly and Diligently Execute the good Laws and Statutes of this Realm, and in all things Well and Truly Behave my self in my Office for the Honour of the King, and the good of his Subjects, and Discharge the same according to the best of my Skill and Power.

So belp me God.

Ind be it fuerner Enacted by the Authority aforelaid, That the following Dath Hall be taken by all Sub-Sheriffs of Under-Sheriffs of any County of this Kingdom, before they Enter upon the Execution of their Offices, Vizt.

A. B. Do Swear, That I will Well and Truly Serve the King's Maiefly in the Office of Under-Sheriff of the County of S. Promote His Mujelty's Profit in all things that belong to the faid Office, as far as I Legally can or may: I will Preferve the King's Rights and all that belongs to the Orown, I will not Affent to Leffen or Conceal the King's Rights, or the Rights of His Franchifes, and whenfoever I thall know that the Rights of the Crown are concealed or withdrawn, be it in Lands, Rents, Franchifes, Suits or Services, or in any other Matter or Thing, I will do my utmost to make them to be restored to the Crown again, and if I may not do it my felf, I will Certific and Inform fome of His Majesties Judges thereof, I will not Respite or Delay to Levy the King's Debts for any Gift, Promife, Reward or Favour, where I may Raife the fame without great Grievance to the Debtors : I will do Right as well to Poor as to Rich, in all things belonging to my Office; I will do no wrong to any Man for any Gift, Reward or Promife, nor for Favour or Hatred : I will Disturb no Mans Right, and will Truly and Faithfully Acquit at the Exchequer allt hofe of whom I shall Receive any Debt, Duties or Sums of Money belonging to the Grown: I will take nothing whereby the King may Lofe, or whereby his Right may be Diffurbed, Injured or Delayed : I will Truly Return and Truly Serve all the Kings Writs to the best of my Skill and Knowledge : I will Truly Set and Return Remonable and due Isites of them that be within my Builtwick, according to their Estates and Circumstances, and make due Pannels of Perions able and fufficient, and not fuspected or procured, as is appointed by the Statutes of this Realm: I have not Bought, Purchased of Taken to Farm, or Contracted for, nor have I Promised or Given any Consideration, nor will I Buy, Purchase or Take to Farm, or Contract for, Promise or Give any Consideration whatever by my felf or any other Person for me, or for my use, directly or indirectly to any Person or Persons whatsoever, for the Office of Under-Sheriff which I am now to Enter upon and Enfor the County of S. **6** 2 joy

lov, nor for the Profits of the same, nor for any Bailiwick thereof, or any other Office or Place belonging thereunto: I have not Sold or Contracted for, or Lett to Farm, nor have I Granted or Promised for Reward or Benefit by my felf or any other Person for me, or for my use. directly or indirectly, any Bailiwick thereof, or any other Place or Office belonging thereunto: I will Truly and Diligently Execute the good Laws and Statutes of this Kingdom, and in all things Well and Truly Behave my felf in my faid Office, for His Majesties Advantage, and for the good of His Subjects, and Discharge my whole Duty according to the best of my Skill and Power. mile on which are which as he.

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Daking up of Salt Bides, habe not had their due Effect.

We it Enacted by the kings Poll Excellent Pajelly, by and with the Advice and Content of the Lozds Spiritual and Tempozal and Commons in this present Parliament Allembled, and by the Authority of the same, That, from and after the Twenty Fifth Day of April, in the Pear of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and twenty fix, every Cask wherin Callow Mall be Pade up of Packed, Mall have thereon Twelve lufficient Boops of a Size proportionable to luch Cask, and no more, and every Chandler or other Person that thall Pake up or Pack Tallow in any such Cask, from and after the said Twenty Fifth Day of April, in the Pear of our Lord Dne thousand seven hundred and twenty fix, hall fix of Biand the first Letter of His Christian Rame and his Sira Rame at length, with the Place of his Abode upon every fuch Cask; And that any Person who shall Sell of Expose to Sale, Erport, or Attempt to Erport, or that thall Buy any Cask of Casks of Tallow, that Mall have thereon more or fewer than twelve Boops of proper Size for such Cask, or that Mall not be Branded with the Persons Pame and Place of Abode that Wade up of Packed such Tallow as aforefair, knowing the same, being thereof Lawfully Convicted befoze the Chief Payistrate of the Place, of a Justice of the Peace of the County of Divillon where fuch Diffence thall be committed, by the Dath

Dath of One or more Crenible Mitnels or Mitnelles, which Dail fuch Chief Digiltrate of Buffice of the Peace is hereby Impowered to Aominister, or by the Confession of the Party, thall for luch Offence Forfit the Sum of Tine Shillings for thery fuch Cask to Bought, es eferefeir, to be Achiev and Raifed by Marrant under the Pand of fuch Chief Magikrate of Juffice of the Peace, by Diffrets and Sale of the Gwas of the Offenores, which Burneaut the faid Chief Pagil. trate or Audice of the Percents bessity Bequires and Ampowered to Mue, Due Poiety of Wibich forfeiture Mall go to the Por of the parity where tuch Miente was committed, and the other to the Informer, and ungereer theil nomain of the Phige of fuch Boods hell be ginen to the Barty whose Boods were to Diffrainch, and for want of tuch Wiltress, the Ditenser watt be committed to Goal, there to remain without Bail of Painpige for any time not exceeding Ten Days.

And be it Enacted by the Authority aforelaid, That, from and after the faid Twenty fifth Day of April, Due thouland feben hundged and twenty fir, no Person of Persons thall Buy of Sell for Exportation any Callow of Butter made up in Casks within any City, Comm. Liberty of Dibifton, where there are mueigh wafters of their Wenuties appointed purtuant to this, or the fato former Ad or Sas, lach Callow of Butter not being Wieigher and Branbed by fuch Wieigh-Daffers of their Deputies; And if any Person of Persons that to Do, furty Person of Persons to Offending bring thereof Lawfully Convided in manner before mentioned wall forfeit the Butter of Callow fo

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And whereas great Auries are committed by Perlous Packing up Butter and Callom in Casks which have beren tommerly filled with Butter and Callow, and Branded by Wrigh-Palters for being Per-

chantable Goods ; for Remedy thereof,

Be it Cnaced by the Authority aforesato, That, from and after the Twenty fifth Day of April, One thousand seven hundred and twenty of the where any Cask of Casks of Butter of Catlom have been once Trees of Marken by the proper Weigh Pallers of their Deputies purfriant to the former Art of Acts, and fuch Cast of Casts have been Countied, any Perfon of Perfons who that! wake up of Pack Butber of Carlow in fuch Cask of Casks, without having the fame Meinbed, Marked and Branded a new purtuant to the spethod appointed by the fair former Act or Acts for wateighing, Parking or Brands ing Casts wherein Butter and Callow is to be made up of Packed, thatt, for every fuch Cask that he thatt to Pack or wake up any Tallow or Butter in, Fogfrit the Sum of Ten Shittings, to be Recovered, Raffen and Pillributed in luch Manner as is herein before appointed.

And be it Eusqed by the Authority aforefato, Char when ever any Tatlow or Butter Casks, or Tallow or Butter are brought before the Over Magistrate or Justice of the Pears by any Weigh Spaller or saleigh palters, of their Abeputy of Areguites, an oppearing to him of them to be Unmerchantable purfuant to the fato tommer Ait, the fato Buffice

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And whereas great Inconbeniences, habe arifen from the Meigh-Palters of their Peputies, Branding the Care on Butter and Tallow Casks, by Parking the same with Pumeral Letters.

Wente Cifch Day of April, Due thousand seven hundred and twenty fifth Day of April, Due thousand seven hundred and twenter fire, no weigh-Paller, or weigh-Pallers, his or their Deputy or Deputies, that Brand the Care on Butter or Callow Casks with Rumeral Letters, but instead thereof thall make use of figures in Branding such Casks; And in case any Meigh-Paller or Meigh-Pallers, his or their Deputy or Deputies, thall after the said Twenty fifth Day of April, One thousand seven hundred and twenty six, make use of Pumeral Letters in Branding the Care on Butter and Callon Casks, be or they thall for every such Offence Forfeit the Sum of five Shillings, to be Recovered, Levied and Distributed in manner aforesaid.

And whereas there bas and may artie great Inconveniencies from Meigh-Pasters or their Deputies, Buying or Selling Butter, Tal-low, Green or Salt Bides, at their respective Weigh- Bouses.

Be it further Enaced by the Authority aforelaid, That from and after the Twenty fifth Day of April, Dne thouland feben bundzed and Twenty fir, no Weigh-Paller or Wicigh-Pallers, bis or their Deputy or Deputies, or any other Person in Censi for him, them, or any or either of them appointed by this or the tormer Ad or in purluance thereof for Weigbing Butter, Tallow, Green or Salt Bides in any City of Cown Corporate, or in any Place of Exports thall Buy, Contract of Creat for at their respective Meigh Doules any Butter, Tallow, Green or Salt-Bides in such City of Town Copposate, or Place of Export, where luch Meigh-Palter or Weigh-Palters, bis of their Deputy of Deputies, thall be appointed purfuant to this of the former Ad, until luch Butter, Callom, Green or Salt Dives Chall be Legally Meighed and Bianded, Difcharged and Carried off from luch Weigh Boule : And in cale any Weigh Palter of Meigh Pallers, his or their Deputy or Deputies, or other Person in Truth for him, them, or any of them, hall Buy, bell, Contract or Treat for any Butter, Tallow, Green or Salt Pines, in any City of Town Co: porate, or Place of Ceport, inbere luch Meigh Palter or Meigh Pal ters, his or their Deputy or Deputies are appointed before luch Butter, Callow, Green or Salt Bides are Legally Micighed and Branded, being thereof Lambully Convided before the Chief Pagiffrate of the Places of the next Autice of the Peace, Forteit for every fuch Diffence the

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And be it Chadeo by the Authority aforesaid, Chat whenever any

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former Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

And be it kurther Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Person or Persons shall be Sued, Polested or Troubled for putting in Trecution any of the Powers contained in this Act, or for doing any Patter or Thing pursuant hereunto, such Person or Persons shall, and may Plead the General Mue, and give the special Patter in Evidence, and if the Plantist or Plantists shall be Pon-Suited, or Audgement be given against him or them, by Default or upon Demurrer, or a Herdick shall Pass for the Defendant, such Defendant shall have his, her, or their Treble Costs, to be Recovered in such manner as where by Law Costs are given to Defendants.

And whereas a Doubt has been conceibed, Whether by the Ad now in force, Weigh Pallers could be appointed for Butter and Tallow in

the Liberties of Saint Sepulchres, Thomas-Court and Donore.

Be it Enacted by the Authority aforciaid, That the respective Lords of the Pannor or Senechals of the said Liberties, shall have sull Power and Authority to appoint One or more Meigh-Paster or Meigh-Pasters for Butter and Tallow within their respective Liberties, to Meigh, Brand and Park all such Casks and Commodities, and Take and Receive all such Sum and Sums of Poney for Meighing, Branding and Parking the same, as any Meigh-Paster or Meigh-Pasters Pomismated, Appointed, or to be Appointed, by, or in pursuance of an Act of Parliament made in this kingdom in the Tenth Pear of His Pajesties Reign, Intituled, An Act for Continuing and Amending of the Laws in Relation to Butter and Tallow, and the Casks in which such Goods are to be made up, and in Relation to the Curing of Hides, and making up of Beef and Pork for Exportation, and for preventing the Destruction of Salmon, Can, or may have, Erercise, Take or Receive, by Usertuce

Anno Regni Duodecimo of the faid Act, and after fuch Casks and Commodities Bell be eers of the faid respective Libertie sas aforelato, such Casks or Commo. dities theil, and may be Exported to luch fost and manner as is which of Thing in the fair last mentioned Act contained to the contray in any mile notwithstanding; which laid meleigh. Pall be Subject and Liable to all the Regulations, Pains and Penalties to which any other my other my other mentioned to the contray in the so their Deputies religiously. Hall be Subject and Liable to all the Regulations, Pains and Penalties to which any other much spallers of their Deputies, appointed by this of the former Au, of the puriosers thereof are Subject and Liable. of being a Weigh-Palter or Deputy-Weigh-Pallet, for Weighing of Butter of Calloin, within the meaning of this of the laid former Ad. And be it Enaced by the Anthority africiain, That this Art thall continue in Force for Two Pears, and to the End of the then next Dellion of Barliament, of decreased of our dentile are to the remaind and to the state of the lead to the land to er in the contras a militalia miere. with a first one mall of Duras And City of Crack liter on the contract Regular and of the powers contained in this Lin, or for coing on But the Chine undiagnet bereined, then Wester et Western Western man istend tine General Acher, and orwe eder fpecial Gutter, in Bene energe to district the filter to the matter that be great the entropy of the country against bon of them. Or Exclassiff as used Democratic Charles be the Authority alore to. Chat tee ememo tone el the Wannes of Sencencia of the fain Westfed file! have full close and an including to amount of the companies of the contraction of the tus tot Butter and Calling within their relucities Librelles, to Edite Band and whark all to be Caste and Commodition, and Cake-an Trend all then Some Street in Ponce for Wellington Line will be the comment. and a along the fance as any desertion of the electric College Cons. ton Appointed, or is be Appainted by, or in purisoner of an Ar arliament made in this Emigden in the Eenth Dear of this Said tics Relign, Zuritteler. An Act for Considering and Amending of the Laws in Relation to Butter and Tallow, and the Oneks in which such Goods up of Beef and Pork for Exportation, and for preventing the Delitaca

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An ACT for continuing several Temporary Statutes made in this Kingdom now near Expiring; And for allowing further Time to Persons in Offices to Qualifie themselves pursuant to an Act, Intituled, An Ast to prevent the further Growth of Popery.

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THER EAS in a Parliament Held at Dublin the Twelfth Day of November, in the Peat of our Lord Dne thousand feben hundzed and afteen, in the Second Bear of the Beign of Our most Gracious Sovereign Lord King George, an Ac of Partiament was Part and Pasted, Intituled, An Act to make the Militia of this Kingdom more Ufeful: Which faid Act was Continued and Amended by an Art made in the Fourth Dear of Dis Pajellies Reign. Intituted, An Act for Reviving, Continuing and Amending feveral Statutes made in this Kingdom heretofore Temporary: And was further continued by an Act made in the Sirth Pear of Dis Pajellies Reign, Intitules, An Act for Continuing and Amending an Act Intituled, An At to make the Militia of this Kingdom more Veful : And further continued by another act made in the Eighth Pear of Dis Pajellies Reign: And further continued by another Act made the last Sellion of this present Parliament for Two Pears from the Twenty Fifth Day of December, in the Pear of Dur Lord Due thousand seven bundred and twenty three, and from thence to the End of the then next Sellion of Parliament; And to prevent the laid Act from Expiring.

Be it Enaced by the king's most Ercellent Pajelly, by and with the Addice and Confent of the Lords Spiritual and Composal and Commons in this present Parliament Assembled, and by the Authority of the same, That the said Ast made in the Second Bear of His Pajellies Reign, Intituled, An Act to make the Militia of this Kingdom more Useful, As also the said Ast made in the Sixth Pear of His Pajellies Reign, Intituled, An Act for Continuing and Amending an Act to make the Militia of this Kingdom more Useful, Be continued in full

Force as they now stand to the first Day of December, which shall be in the Pear of our Low Due thousand seven hundred and twenty nine, and from thence to the End of the then next Session of Parlis ament, and no longer.

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jestits Reign. Intituled. An Act for Regulating Abuses committed in Huying and Sching of Cattle and Sheep in the several Markets in this Kingdom: Withich said Act was made to continue and be in Four only for Two Pears, and from thence-south to the Chu of the them next Sets south of Wartisment, and no longer, and is now near Expiring; but bring found to be useful, is therefore sit to be continued.

We it Enacted by the Authority aforelaid. That the laid Act, and all and every Clause Article and Provide therein contained be continued, and wall be in will force to all intents and purpoles, to the first Day of December, which wall be in the Pear of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and twenty eight, and from thence to the End of the then next Session of Parliament, and no longer.

And whereas by an Act of Parliament made in the Sixth Pear of Dis Majesties Reign, Intituled, An Act for Quieting and Discharging all Persons in Offices or Employments, from the Penalties they may have Incurred by not Qualifying themselves pursuant to the Act to prevent the further Growth of Popery & And Limitting the Time for Profecutions on the faid Act 1 It is among other Things Enacted. That fifth Perlong as wett Required by the law Act to prevent the further Growth of Popery, to Take the Daths and Receive the Baccament of the Lords Supper according to the Ulfage of the Church of Ireland, and Subleribe the Weckaration in the law Act mentioned, would be Indempnissed, freed and Wilchargev of, and from all Incapacities, Dils abilities, Forfeitures and Penalties Incurred by reason of the laid Ad, notwithstanding any Omission to Take the said Daths and Dacrament of the Loto's Supper, and to Subscribe the said Westaration, so as suith Person of Persons would Take the said Daths, and Receive the Cato Bacrament, and Subletibe the laid Declaration in manner Directo by the lain Act to prevent the further Growth of Popery, ou, or before the Tive and Twentieth Way of March, which was in the Bear of our How Dhe thousand leven hundred and twenty.

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Be it Enaced by the Authority aforesaid, That all and every Person by Persons who have Incurred any Penalties and Incapacities in the

the faib Ad, Intituted, An Act to prevent the further Growth of Popery, mentioned, by negletting to Dualite themselves according to the laid Air Ball, and may be hereby Indempulbed, Freed and Discharged of and from all Incapacities, Wilkitities, Foliticutes and Penaltics Incurred by reason of the said talk mentioned Act, not withstanding such Omission, and that none of their Airs, nor the Aced not yet abouted of any who have been in Actual Postellon of any Deice, Place of In-Morntent that be Dueltoned of Avolved by reaton of fuch Acated of Different, but that all such Ads Mall be, and are hereby Declared and Enuged to be as Good and Effectuat as it all and every fuch Derfor and Persons has Caken the Daths, and Mercisco the Sacrament, and Subscribed the Wectaration in marines ap aforesaid, any thing in the faid last mentioned Act to the contrary notwithstanding; nevertheless to as such Person of Persons do and Hall Take the said Daths. and Receive the faid Sacrament, and Subscribe the said Declaration in manner Directed and Appointed by the faid Recited Act to prevent the further Growth of Popery, on or before the First Day of August. which shall be in the Pear of our Lord Dne thousand seven hundred and twenty fir.

Provided, That this Act, or any Thing therein contained, thall not extend to Restore or Intitle any Person or Persons to any Office or Imployment already actually avoided by Judgment of any of His Pajesties Courts of Record, or Filled by an other Person; but that such Office or Imployment shall be, and remain in the Person or Persons who is or are now Intitled by Law to the same, as if this Act had

neber been mabe.

And whereas the feberal Ads now in force for Suppreffing Tories.

Robbers and Rapparces, are near Expiring.

We it further Enacted by the Authority aforelaid, That Dne Act made in a Parliament Belo in the Sebenth Bear of Dis late Pajelly Bing William of Blozious Pemozy, Intituled, An Act for the better Suppressing Tories, Robbers and Rapparees, and for preventing Robberies. Burglaries, and other Henious Crimes: And also One other Act made in the Winth Pear of the Reign of His laid late Pajelty, Intituled, An Act to Supply the Defects, and for the better Execution of an Act Passed this present Session of Parliament, Intituled, An Act for the better Suppressing Tories and Rapparees, and for preventing Robberies, Burglaries, and other Henious Crimes: And also One other Ad made in the Sixth Vear of the Reign of Wer Late Pajelly Queen Anne, Intituled, An Act for Explaining and Amending Two several Acts against Tories, Robbers and Raparees: As also so much of Dne other Act made in the Fourth Vear of the Reign of His present Pajelly, Intituled, An Act for Reviving, Continuing and Amending feveral Statutes made in this Kingdom heretofore Temporary, As Relates to the Apprehending of Milling of Proclaimed Topies of Robbers to far as the faid Acts, of any of them, are not Altered of Changed by an Act made in the Sixth Peat of His Pajellies Reign, Intituled, An Act for the better and more effectual Apprehending and Transporting Felons and others; and for Continuing and Amending several Laws made in this Kingdom for Suppressing Tories, Robbers,

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and Raparees: As also One other Act made made in the Eighth Pear of the Reign of His present Pajethy, Intituled, An Act for Amending an Act, Intituled, An Act for the bester and more effectual Aprehending and Transporting Felons and Others, and for Continuing and Amending several Laws made in this Kingdom for Suppressing Tories, Robbers and Rapparees; And also, To prevent the Listing of His Majesties Subjects to Serve as Soldiers in Foreign Service without His Majesties Licence: Be and are hereby further continued from the Twenty, fifth Day of December, which thall be in the Pear of Dur Lozd One thousand seven hundred and twenty sir, for the Term of Eleben Pears, and from thence to the End of the then next Session of Parliament.

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An ACT for the better preserving the Salmon Fishery of this Kingdom

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DRAS PUID as by many Unduc Pradices the Salmon filbery in this Bingdom is Extreamly Decaped, and many Bole and Difozoetly Persons go in great Bumbers Disguised with their faces Blacket, of otherwife Disfigured, and with Lights. Lops, Spears, and other Infruments, Bill great Quantities of Salmon in fuch Places in Fref Water Rivers as they are preparing to Leave their Spawn in; To prevent which pernicious Practices for the

future. Be it Enaded by the Kings Wolf Ercellent Pajelly, by and with the Advice and Confent of the Lords Spiritual and Temperal and Commons in this Perfent Parliament Affembled, and by the Authority of the fante, That from and after the Twenty fifth Day of April, in the Pear of dur Lord Ane thousand seven hundred and twenty fir, it hall and may be Lawful to and for any Perfon of Perfons without other oz further Warrant than this Ad, to Stize and Bring before One or more Julice of Buffices of the Peace of the respective County of Counties where luck Offence or Offences hall be committed, luch Person or Pers fons as he of they thall find Filling with his of their Face of Faces Blacked of Difguiled ; And allo, luch Perfon or Perlons as Mail be found in, upon, or near any River or Rivers, Wisfigured with bis or their face of faces Blacked, of otherwife Dilguifen, tho' fuch Werfon of Persons so Disfigured of Disquited, be not adually fishing at the time of fuch Seizure of Seizures; which Jullice of Julices of the Prace. upon Conviction of luch Defender of Defenders, by the Dath of Due of more credible Witness of Witnesses, which Dath such Justice of Justices of the Peace is, and are hereby Impowered to Admirefter, that and may by his and their Warrants under his or their Hand and Seal Levy by Willrels and Sale of the Goods of fuch Offender of Offenders the Sum of Forty Shillings, Dne Poiety whereof thall be given to the Informer of Informers, and the other Pointy to the Poor of the Parist where futh Diffente thall be committed; And in Cale no fufficient Diftress of Willrelles can be had whereout to Leby and Raife the laid Sum of Forty Shillings, that then the faid Inflice of Justices of the Peace hall and may by Warrant under his of their Bands and Seals Com-30 186 2) momento 307 of see mit

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mit fuch Person of Persons to the Bouse of Correction of Work-Bouse, for any time not exceeding Thirty One Days, there to remain at hard

Labour, and to have due Correction according to Law.

And be it further Enaced by the Authority aforesaid, That from and after the Wenty fifth Day of April, in the Pear of our How Due thousand seven hiendred and twenty fix, no Petson of Persons wattoever, except fach as have an Estate of Freehold in his or their own, or their Unives Right of the citat Pearly Claime of forty Pounds per Annum at the least, of a Perfonal Chate of the Claime of Dne thousand Pounds at the least over and above all Wedts by him owing, and except fuch Person of Persons as is, are, of Wall be Intitled to any filhery of filheries within this kingdom, his of their Farmer of Farmers, and such Person of Persons as are of Mail be Law. tully Imployed in the lame, Mall, or may for him or themselves or as Seroant of Berbants to any Person of Persons who shall not be Beised of Postelled of a Real of Personal. Estate to the Willie atomato, of Incitated to any filhery of Filheries as aforefaid, make. have of keep any Batt of Batts, Spear of Spears, Lyller of Lyllers, Lop of Lops, spett of Retts, or any other Engine of Engines, Infirite ment of Boffruments commonly made ufe of to Cake of Mill Salmon of Salmon Jey, althouno Prof. can be made that he of they old Ap. ply them or any of them to firch alle or ales, on Pain that all and eberg furh Gaffs, Sprars, Apfters, Lops, and other Engine and Infirmment to kept contrary to this Acts as also all fifth found with them of any of them, that I and may be prized of Taken away by any Justive of Justices of the Prace of the respective County of Counties where the same that I be kept or sound or by Person or Persons Authoused therenuro, by Macrant under the Pand and Seal of luch Inflice of Justices of the Peace and Mall and may be liept and Detained by him by them to his and their own tile; And thery Luck Perfon to having and keeping any fuch Baffs, Spears, Lyllers, Lops, ports, or any other furt Engine of Antrument contrary hereunto, and being thereof Condicted upon his Appearance of Wefault atter Sume mons, defore One of more Julices of the Peace of the County of Place where fach Diffence thall be committed, on the Dath of Die by moje Crevible Wittnels toz Mitnelles, which Dath fuch Julice acid Julices of the Peace is, and are hereby Junyowered to Administer, Mall for every luch Witence Forfeit and Loke the Sum of Forty Shillength to be Levico by Warrant under the Hand and Seal of luch Autlice of Inffices of the Peace before whom luch Diffender thall be Consider, by Wilhels and Sale of the Gods of fuch Offenber, the Dire Polety thereof to the Informer who thall Inform and Profecute for the same, and the other spoice to ge and be Disposed of to the use of the Post of the Parity where fuch Diffence of Diffences Mall be committed 3 and in Cale no Cufficient Diffrelle of Wifrelles can at may be has whereout to Levy and Raise the faid Sun of Forty Shillings, that then the faid Meltice of Autices of the Prace that and may by Wereast under his of their Pands and Seals Commit Luch Person of Persons to the common Goal of the County or Place where such Offence

fence thell be committed, there to remain for any time not exceeding Thirty One Ways, unless such Daruber thall somer Pay the Penalty to forfritte, and upon such Payment to be Discharged.

Andube it further Enacted by the Authority aforetaid. That from and offenche Awency Titth Way of April, in the Mean of our Lord One thousand seven bundeed and twenty fir, it any Desson of Persons puring the Months of February, March, April of May, in any Prat. matten any Due Day Take of kill to the Aumber of Twelve Sals mon-fry, whether it be by Angling, of any other way whatforver, and such Person of Persons Mall be thereof Convicted upon his of their Appearance or Default after Summons, by the Dath of Dne or more Credible Mitnels of Mitnelles, before any Dne of more of Dis Baielties Justices of the Peace of the County, City or Cown Corporate where fuch Defence Mall be committed, every such Person Hall Forfeit the Sum of Ten Shillings, and it Mall and may be Lawful to and for fuch Justice of Justices of the Peace by Warrant under his or their Hands and Seals, to Levy the faid Sum of Ten Shillings by Diffress and Sale of the Offenders Bods, Due Balf thereof to be for the use of the Informer, and the other to the Por of the Parish where the faid Offence Mall be committed, and for want of lufficient Diffress, it Mall and may be lawful for such Justice of Justices by Warrant under his or their Band and Scal to Commit fuch Offender to the Common Goal of the County, City of Place where such Defence Mall have been com= mitted, there to remain and be kept for any time not exceeding Ten Days, unless such Defender hall sooner Pay the Penalty so Forfeited. and upon fuch Payment to be Discharged.

And whereas such Persons as are Imployed by Persons who are Interference, or Farmers of any Kilhery or Kilheries in this Kingdom, sind it necessary in Order to preserve the Salmon in Spawning time to go and watch on the Banks of Rivers in which they usually Spawn, in Order to Apprehend such Person and Persons as thall endeabour to Take and Destroy such Salmon, but are often Threatned with Actions at Law and Indiaments by the Proprietor or Proprietors, Possessor Dossessor of the Bank or Banks of such River or Rivers when such Person or Persons Attempt, sor the purposes asoresaid to go upon the

We it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That it shall and may be Lawful to and for such Person or Persons so Employed as aforesaid, to Malk upon the Bank and Banks of such River and Rivers as aforesaid, not lying within any Drchard or Garden, in Order to Appelend such Person or Persons as shall Offend against this or any other Act heretofore made in this Kingdom sor the preservation of the Salmon fishing thereof, and that such Person or Persons so Malking, sor the purposes aforesaid on any Bank or Banks of any River or Rivers, shall not be liable to any Action at Law, Indicent, or other Prosecution sor so doing, so as the Person so Employed be Authorized by Wariting under the Band of the Owner or Farmer of such Fishery.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if any Person or Persons shall be Sued, Polested or Troubled, for putting

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in Execution any of the Powers contained in this Act, of for boing any Patter of Thing pursuant hereunto, such Person of Persons shall and may Plead the General Mue, and give the special Patter in Evidence, and if the Plaintist of Plaintists shall be Pon-Suited, of Audgment shall be given against him of them by Default, of upon Demurrer, of a Aeroic shall Pass for the Defendant, such Defendant shall have his, her of their Areble Colls, to be Recovered in such manner as in other Cases where by Law Colls are given to Defendants.

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Builds to Congression, Acknosticoging the Magniens of fuch Sun Be it Charted by the King's moff Ercellent Pajelly, by and with the Addice and Confent of the Lords Spiritual and Composal and Commons in this present Parliament Assembled, and by the Authority of the lame, That from and after the Twenty fifth Day of April, in the Pear of our Lord Die thousand feben hundred and twenty ar, it hall and may be Lawful to and for the Chief Pagiltrate of the City of Port-Cown in which any Person is or Mall be Confined under any Bentence, Rule of Dever of Transportation, or in which any Person is of hall be Confined, who bath or thall obtain any Pardon, with Connottion exterent of Diver vibled, well be steplotten and Leoped in

We the turbet Charge by the Authorite Aforefair, Char from and after the faid Twenty Setth Day of April, in the Pear of our Lord Dne thousand feben bundged and twenty fir, it thall and may be Law. ful to and for the Chief Pagistrate of fuch City or Port. Town, by Warrant of Diber under Dis Band and Seal, to Direct and Require the Sheriff or Sheriffs of luch City being a County of it felf, or of the County wherein luch City or Port- Town thall lye, or their refpedibe Sub-Sheriffs of Under Sheriffs for the time being, to Pay unto the Person of Persons who wall Contract for the Gransportation of any (meh Berton Condicted of a Capital felony, any Sum not exceeding the Sunt of Justy Stillings; And for ebery other Perlon which now is of that be Diverted to be Transported, any Sum not exceeding the Sum of Twenty Shillings; In which Warrant or Deber thall be mentioned the some of the Person so to be Transported, and the time of place where he of the was Prefented of Convided, and the Offence of which he of the was Condicted.

And de it farther Cnacked by the Authority aforesaid, That every sheriff to whom such Marcant or Opper shall be Wirested, or his Indershered or Sub-Sheriff, Hall sorthwith, without fee or Reward, Pay the Sum in such Order or Marrant contained, taking a Receipt from the Person so Contracting, Acknowledging the Payment of such Sum or Some ; And also, Acknowledging that he hath Received the Body or Bodies of the Person or Persons so to be by him Transported.

producing of every such Marrant of Order, together with such Receipt as afortain at any Allies of General Quarter-Sellions of the Peace to be Velo for the County where the Person of Persons in such Marrant of Order James was of were Consider of Presented, the Grand-Auty of the tale County are hereby required to present the Sum contained in such Marrant of Order, which shall be Applotted and Levyed in the

the same manner as other Sums Raises at Assises and Sessions in the said County are usually Leviev and Applotted, and shall be Re-pair to such Sherist, Sud-Sherist of Under-Sherist as shall have Disbursey the same as afoselaid, of his Executors of Administrators respectively, of to the Person of Persons by them appointed to receive the same.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforefair, That if any Person, so to be Transported as aforciaid, thall refute to Sign and beal any Articles, Covenant of Indenteire Agreed upon betmeen freb Chief Pagiltrate of the City of Bort-Town, and the Person Contraning for his or her Araniportation as aforelaid, to as the Parton to be Transported be not by any such Articles, Conenant of Indenture phiaed to ferbe for any longer Term than Deben Bears, ebern fuch Wirfon to refuling, if Convicted of a Capital Felony, Mall be absolutely bepribed of the Benifft of Clergy, and of this and the faid former Air, or any other Ad, or Dider by Wertue whereof, he of the were to he Trans ported, and fall be continued in, or be immediately Ctansmitted to the Boal of the County where he of the was Convided, and Sentence of Death thall be Pronounced against him or her so refusing respectively, in the next Term in the Court of King's-Bench, or at the next Beneral Quarter-Bestions in the County of Dublin, of County of the City of Dublin, or at the next General Goal Welivery in such other County where such Person was Convicted, and Execution Amarved accomingly, and if any other Perlon who thall be Debered to be Aparis ported as afozelaid, Mall refute to Sign and Seal fuch Agreement. Covenant or Indentare, every furt Person that be Thrice Bublitkly mibipt, through tuch City or Port-Cown, and afterwards remain clase Confined in Boal till be of the be Transported.

And be it kurther Enanted by the Anthosity affectald, That if any Person, who after the said Twenty Fifth Day of April, One thousand seven hundred and twenty Ur, shall be Transpored as a Fedon Conbided of a Capital Felony, shall at any time be knund within this dingdom, not being Licenced thereunts by His Possely, His Veiers of Successors, under His of Their Privy Seal, such Person shall busher Death as a felon without Benefit of Clergy, any thing in the said Act made in the Sixth Pear of His present Pajellies Reign to the contrary thereof in any wife notwithstanding, and shall and may be Tried in any County where he is all be Apprehensed.

And he at Emaded by the Authority aforefair. That it any Perfond perfond, Perfond, dring now, or topo wall at any time hereafter be amore any sometime, Rule or Order of Transportation, wall be Transmitted to any Post Town within any County or County of a City, other than where such Herence, Rule or Order was made, the Chief Pagishipte of such Post Town shall be obliged to Receive and Commit such Perfond non Persons to Goal, who shall be there maintained in such manners as Countil Felond are maintained until they be Transported; and the

the Sheriff of Sheriffs who thall Deliver over Luch Person of Persons to be Transported, thall give Security to the Sheriff of Sheriffs of such County of Counties, of to such Pagistrate of other Officer to whom such Offender of Offenders shall be Delibered in other to Transportation, to Reimburse all such Sum and Sums of Poney as shall be Disbursed on account of such Person of Persons to Transmitted, for this of their maintenance in Goal, to the time of times of his of their being Transported; which said Sum and Sums thall be Levied by Presentments of the Grand-Jury, on the Body of the County where such Sentence, Rule of Officer of Transportation, was made in like manner as the same is Officed and Directed by the said Act made in the Sixth Pear of his present Pajellies Reign in Case of Felons so Transmitted so Transportation.

And to the End that all Perchants, Owners and Pasters of Act, sels Craving to Dis Pajellies Plantations, may have Information and timely Potice of the Persons to be Transported from the several parts of this Bingdom.

We it further Enacted by the Authority aforefall, That the Clerks of the Crown and Clerks of the Peace thall make out, and Sign Certificates of the Pames of every Person and Persons remaining in the Goal or Boals of the leveral Counties under any Rule, Sentence of Diver of Transportation made in every Term, and at every Alliges of General Goal Delibery of Quart-Sellions of the Peace, at which the laid Clerk of the Crown of Peace respectively Officiated, specifying therein the particular Offences for which luch Persons were respectively Dedered to be Transported; which Certificates thall within Thirty Days after the last Day of every Assizes of Goal Welivery, of Quarters Sellions, by the Ceveral Clerks of the Crown, and Clerks of the Peace respectively, be Lodged in the Pands of the Lord Papor of the City of Dublin, where such Conviction of Presentment was in His Pajetties Court of King's-Bench, of in any County in the Province of Leinster, and in the Bands of the Spayor of the City of Cork, the Payor of the City of Waterford, and the Payor of the City of Limerick for the time being, where cuch Conviction of Prefentment was in any County in the Probince of Munster, and in the Pands of the Payor of the City of Londonderry, and the Sovereign of the Town of Belfalt for the time being, where any fuch Compiction or Prefentment was in any County in the Probince of Ulfter, and in the Bands of the Papor of the Town of Galway, and the Propost of the Town of Sligoe for the time being, where any fuch Constation or Prefentment was in any County in the Province of Connaught; which several Chief Pagiltrates of the laid leveral Cities and Cowns are hereby rein luch Certificate, to be Polled up in the Exchange, and other molt - Publick Places of their laid respective Cities and Towns, together with the several Rewards intended to be given for the Transportain anois a ston

tion of the Persons whose Pames are contained in such Lists; and likewise to take care that such Lists continue posted as alogesaid, until the Persons in such Lists Pamed, and every of them be adually Transposted.

and be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if it that i appear to the Court of King's-Bench, of to the Julie diaguated of Affige, of Buffices of the Beneral-Duarter-Seffions of the Peace relpertively, that the Clerk of the Crown of the Caid Court of King's-Bench, of the Clerk of the Crown of Clerk of the Peace for the County for which luch Affiges of Quarter- Sellions are Delo respective. ly, bath at any time neglected to make out, and return fuch Certis ficate as aforelaid, the Court of King's-Bench, and luch Julice and Buffices of Affige, and Buffices of the Peace in Luch General Quarter-Sellions respectively, are hereby Impowered and Required to Impole on every fuch Clerk of the Crown and Clerk of the Peace for ebery fuch Regled a fine not erceeding Ten Pounds, not lefs than Tive Pounds; And fogalmuch as the Transportation of felons hath been greatly belaged, and Opportunities of Transporting them frequently loft by the time necestarily taken up in Palling and Pleading the Pardons granted to luch felons.

We it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That when ever Wis Majefty, Dis Beirs or Successogs, or the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Covernoz of Bovernozs of this Kingdom for the time being, Mall be pleased to Extend Percy to any Person who hath been of shall be Convided of Felony, of who hath received of Mall receive Sentence of Weath for any Felony, any Dider under the Sign Panual of His Majelty, Dis Beirs of Succellors, of under the Band of the Hord Lieutenant, og other Chief Gobernog og Gobernogs of this Kingdom for the time being, Directing the Person so Convided or Sentenced to be Transported, shall be as effectual in the Law as if a Pardon for fuch felony, with Condition of Transportation had been Passed under the Great-Seal, and Pleaded and Allowed; and that fuch Diver thall be a sufficient Warrant in the Law to all Sheriffs, Goglers, and others, for the Delibery of the Perfon in fuch Diber Ramed, to the Sheriff og Boaler of the Place from whence luch felon is to be Trantported, or to the Perfon of Perfons Contracting for the Transportation of fuch felon as afozelaid, to as luch Deber be allo Countersigned by the Judges, or Dne of them before whom fuch felon was Tryed; which faid Dider, after luch Delibery of luch felon, Mall be Lodged in the Hands of the Clerk of the Crown of Clerk of the Peace where luch Conviction was had, together with a Receipt from the Person to whom such ffelon was velivered to be Cransported, to be kept among the Records of the Court.

Provided, That nothing herein contained thall Extend to Instit the Punishment of Death on any Person who thall Receive His Pajes.

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ties Parbon, upon condition of Transportation for any Umitted time, or who shall be Didered by His Pajelly, His Peirs or Successors, the Lord Lieutenant or other Chief Governor or Governors of this king-bom, to be Transported for any limitted time, so as such Person be not found in this kingdom before the time in such Pardon or Dider limitted be expired, any Law, Statute or Mage to the contrary thereself in apprivite notwithstanding.

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CHAP. IX.

Pear of the Reign of Ducen Elizabeth of Glorious Demory, Intituted, An Act for the Erecting of Free-Shools, Pas not Answered the Pious and Good Design thereby intended, by reason of sundry Deseats that are in the said Act.

And whereas the Places by the faid Act appointed for the Building and Erecting of such Free-Schools, being the principal Shire-Town of every Diocels where Schools Poules be not already Builded, are left at too great an uncertainty, some Diocels consisting only of part of one or more Lounties, and having no such Shire-Town, and others more than one within them; And it being not easte in some Places to Determine which is the Principal Shire-Town of the Diocels.

Or Bishop of the same can procure either soza Pearly Rent, or otherwise. Provided, That where in any Piocess there already is a Piece of Ground legally Appropriated to the use of a Pioces School, such Piece of Ground to Appropriated, shall sozever be and remain in the Place of the Diocess School of the said Diocess, any thing in this ve-

fent Ad to the contrary notwithstanding.

Discress that the caid Ac appoints, That the free-school of each Discress chall be Builded and Created at the Colls and Charges of the objects, without respect of freedoms, by the Devise and Overslight of the Didinaries of the Diocels, or of the Aicars-General (Sede vacante) and the Sheriff of the Shire, but no sufficient Way is appointed for the Apploiting or Redoing of such Poney as upon that Decasion may be found necessary, by reason whereof, and of the want of fixed and Settled Places to be Appropriated unto such Schools in most Diocesses, no Poney has ever yet been Railed for the Building of such Free-School, and where any such Poney has been Railed, it has hitherto turned to very little Account;

Hall be Railed for Creating of such School, until such time as a Place for the same chall according to this present Ac, or in some other sufficient manner be appointed, and that from and after such appointment of a Place for a Free-School within any Diocels, it chall and may be Lawful for the Grand-Aury of each County from time to time to Present such Sums of Poney as they chall sind reasonable, to be Levied for their respective proportion towards the Bullding of Repairing such Diocels School, which Sum and Sums so Presented, the Presented Biocels School, which Sum and Sums so Presented, the Presented Biocels School, which Sum and Sums so Presented, the Presented Biocels, in such manner as other Publick Poney is Lesbed upon Presented Biocels, in such manner as other Publick Poney is Lesbed upon Presented Biocels, in such manner as other Publick Poney is Lesbed upon Presented Biocels, in such manner as other Publick Poney is Lesbed upon Presentments made by Grand-Auries.

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Be le Enaced by the Authority aforelato, That every Person being a Beneficio Clergyman, who by Clerine of the laid Act does of matt and obliged to Pay any part of proportion of the laid Act of Chird Bares, that I Pearly at the Ailication Held for the proper Biocelsy Aternit with the School-Haller to whom the lame ought to be Paid, and accordingly Pay whatever thall appear to be Dise unto him; And if he thall not accordingly Pay what hall be to Due, within Three Calendar Poneths after the Day of such Ailitation, then it thall and may be Lawful to and for the Archbishop, Bishop, Aicar General of Chancellor of the Biocels, to Sequeller the Profits of the Bensice belonging to such Clergyman for the Payment thereof, until the same shall be Levied of Paic.

And whereas molt of the Lands which were Granted by King Charles the First to James then Lord Archbishop of Armagh, and His Successors, in Trust for the Pasters of several Free-Schools for the time being, do to the great Disadvantage of the Country continue Unimproved because the Tenants Polding such Lands, cannot have a cer-

tain Interest therin for any Term of Pears.

Be it Enacted by the Authority aforelaid, That it thall and may be Lawful to and for the Archbishop of Armagh, and his Successors, by and with the Consent of the respective Scol-Pasters, testified by their being Parties, and Signing such Lease or Leases, to Demise, Sett, and to Farm Lett, all or any part of the said Lands for any Term not exceeding Twenty One Pears, and for no longer Term from the makking thereof, at, and under the best and most Improved Rent that can be got for the same, to be reserved to the said Archbishop and His Successors, in Trust for the Pasters of the said Archbishop and His Successors, in Trust for the Pasters of the said respective Schools for the time being, so as there be no other Lease in being, which shall not Expire within One Pear from the making such Lease or Leases.

And whereas leveral Parishes in this Kingdom are, and others are likely to become Pon-Cures, tho' there are several Protestant Families Inhabiting therein, for want of Places of Publick Worship, the Parish-Churches being in so great Decay that Divine Service cannot therein be performed, and the said Churches cannot be Rebuilt or Repaired, the Popish Inhabitants of such Parish Abstructing the same by their Dut Moting the Protestant Inhabitants at their Mestrics duly appointed for that purpose, for the preventing therefore of Papills having

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Be it Enaced by the Authority aforelaid, That the lame may and shall be Railed and Levied by Warrant under the Bands and Seals of Two or more Juffices of the Peace of the County where fuch Parish both lie, by the Church-Warbens of fuch Parish, by Diffress and Sale of the Goos of the Person of Persons refusing of negleating to Pay the Sum or Sums of Poney buly Applotted and Charged on them putfuant to fuch Ad of Wellry, together mith the Charges of fuch Diftrels and Sale, returning the Dberplus if any thall be, any Law to the contrary notwithflanding : And in Cafe any Person of Persons thall think bim or themselves Agriebed by any such Asselment of Applotment to be made as aforefaid, or the Levying thereof, he or they thall be at liberty to Appeal to the next Quarter-Sellions Weld for the faid County, who are hereby Impowered to hear, and finally to Determinesthe Came: gru Abradi Tanting ind fol namiger

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William the Third of Glorious Pemory, Inticuled, An Act to Encourage Building of Houses, and making other Improvements on Church Lands, and to prevent Dilapidations: Which hath been sound by Experience in many Instances not to Answer the Good and Pious Ends proposed by the said Act; but on the contrary, that several Ecclesiastical Livings have been Aver-burthened with larger Sums Payable by the Successors in such Livings where Houses have been Whilt, and Certified pursuant to the said Act than the same have been able to bear; and in many Places the Houses Built upon the Encouragement of the said Act, have been of such had Paterials, or so ill Built or Contribed as to be of little Asse to the Successor in such Ecclesiastical Living; for Remedy whereof, and so clearing several Bouchts which have arisen concerning the Erecution of the said Act.

Be it Cnaded by the kings molt Greellent Pajelly, by and with the Addice and Confent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this prefent Parliament Assembled, and by the Authority of the same, That from and after the first Day of May, which shall be in the Pear of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and twenty six, when any Certificate shall be given or made out by Clerthe of the said As for any Sum of Sums of Doney to be Charged upon any Archebishoppick, Bistoppick, or other Ecclesialical Living sor any Building or Improvements, such Certificate shall contain a true Account of the clear Pearly Malue or Income of the said Archbishoppick, Wishoppick, or Ecclesialical Living, as the same shall be proved to be beefore such Persons respectively, who shall grant such Certificate, at or before the time of nations out such Certificate, subose Indoment there in shall be sinal, and that the said Pearly Malue or Income shall be computed of some particular Ecclesialical Living only whereon such Building or Improvements are made, and no other, unless there be a Real Union by the pursuant to any Aut of Parliamine of the said Ecclesiassical Living, with other Livings, from which it is Inseperable.

And whereas by the taid Act it is Enacted, That every Ecclelialtical Perfor therein mentioned, who shall make any Buildings of Improvement and its Blett of Denacto Units, the Calut whereof shall be Certified as by the laid Act is appointed, shall have and receive from his teel and principale Successes, his Certifies of Imministrators respectively. Two Thirds of the Sum of Sums Expended and Laid out in the same, and that each Successor having Palviss Councilled of the Sum of Sums of Two Chirds of the Sum of Sums Expended and Laid out in the same, and that each Successor having Palviss Councilled of the Sum of Sums to Certifien, that I am may Receive One Poicety of what he has to Pato from his next Successes.

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And be it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That no Person who mail bereafter Succeed into any Archbishoppick, Bishoppick, or other Escutors of Living, shall be obliged to Pay his Predecessor, or the Executors of Administrators of his Predecessor, by Artue of any Cerminate of Certificates for Building or Improving on Church-Lands, any more or greater Sum than the clear Calue of One Pear and a Walts Income to limitted as asopesaid:

And be it further Enaced by the Authority aforesaid, That no Certificate thall be hereafter given or made out for any Dwelling-House, or Building upon Church Lands by Arrue of the above mentioned Act, untels the said Dwelling-House or Building be made of Stone and Lime, or Brick and Lime, and Timbred in the Ross, and in the flores of such Dwelling-House, with Dak or fire-Timber, Bogg Dak excepted, and covered with States, Shingles or Tiles, and the Building Strong, Lasting and Durable, except Livings under a Hundred Pounds a Pear, where such Houses or Buildings may be covered with Thatch, Provided the Timber be such as is before specified.

And whereas in divers Bishoppicks of this kingdom there are no Panle Poules, or Penlat Lands convenient for the Relivence of the 186-

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Be it Enacted by the Authority aforefaid, That, where in any Diocels of this kingdom, the Bishop of the Diocels hath no more than One Punded Acres of Penlal Lands, It shall and may be Lawful to and for every such Bishop, and his Successors in the said Piocels, to Purchase to the Alse of such Bishop and his Successors, by and with the Consent of the Archbishop of the Province, under his Archiepiscopal Seal, any Lands in the said Diocels, not exceeding in quantity the number of Two Hundred Acres Plantation Peasure, upon which Purchase, there may be Reserved out of such Lands any Pearly Rent not exceeding One Half of the Improved Pearly Islue of such Lands at the time of the Purchase, which said Rent so reserved shall be a Charge, and continue Chargeable on such Lands so Purchased in the Pands of every such Bishop, and his Successors for ever:

And be it kuither Enacted by the Authority aforelaid, That all kands to Purchated thall be and continues Penkal Lands to all instents and purposes whatloever, and that every Bithop who that Purchate any lich Lands, or thall Build an House and make any other Improvements thereon convenient and proper for the Reddence of such Bithop and his Successors, such Bithop or his Executors and Administrators, to Purchating, Building or Improving, thall have and Recover such Proportion of such Purchate Poncy, and of such Poncy

as thall be to laid out in Building and other Improvements, as a Bilhop is or thalf be Intitled to for Houses Built upon his Penfal Lands by this Act, and to be Recovered in manner as is herein before mentioned.

And be it Enacted by the Authority aforefald, That from and after the Twenty fifth Day of April, which thall be in the Bear of our Lord Die thousand leben bundzed and twenty fir, every Archillop, Mis Mop, of other Ecclesiastical Person intending to Erect of Pake and Buttoing of Improbement upon bis respective Demealn of Glebe Lands. Mall, at the Least Three Ponths before be begins the same, give unto the Person, or Persons who by this or the other above mentioned Ad, is of are Impowered to gibe them fuch Certificate as is above fet forth. a Wariting Subscribed with his Pand in the presence of Two Credis ble Witneffes fetting forth the Length, Breadth, Beight and Chicknels of the wall of fuch Boufe of Boules as be intends to Build. with the number of Stories in them or each of them to be contained, together with the Scituation of the Ground on which the same are to stand; as also the Pature and Extent of all other Improvements which he to intends to make, a Copy of which Wiriting, if approbed of, thall be Returned unto fuch Archbithop, Withop, or other Eccles. affical Person, in like manner Subscribed by the Person of Persons unto whom the same is so giben; And if the said Boule, Boules of June probements, or so much of the same as that be Built, or made before the Death of Removal of the respective Incumbent Undertaking the Came, thall be found agreeable unto what is contained in luch Waris ting, and the Claime thereof to Reported by Commissioners for that purpole to be appointed as berein after is mentioned, then, and not otherwife, fuch a Certificate as is above mentioned thall be given for the same according to the Malue of such House of Bouses and Improve ments to Reported, and under the Limitations of this prefent Act.

Provided, That no Mainscot made, or to be made in such House as is above mentioned, thall be loked on as an Improvement, or Certified as such, except the Ecclesiatical Benefice whereunto such House belongs, thall appear to be of the clear Malue of Three Hundred Pounds per Annum.

may be Lawful to and for the Chief Governour or Governours of this kings dom for the time being, and every Archbishop and Bishop respectively, to Grant any Commission to Two or more Persons to Asiew and Examine the Houses and Improvements made on Church Lands, by Aertue of this or the before mentioned Act, and to Administer an Dath to the said Commissioners so appointed as aforesaid, to return a true, just, and saithful Account and Estimate of the said Buildings and Improvements according to the best of their Skill and knowledge; And the said Commissioners shall likewise have Power to Examine Witnesses, upon Dath, upon any Article of Account given in, and alledged to be Expended in Building the said Houses, and making the said Improvements:

probements : And where any Archbithop, Bithop, or other Etclellaftical Derfon thall Build any Boufe of Dut-Boufes, of make other Improvements upon their Penfal Lands or Blebes, and Mall obtain a Certifi. cate for the came in purluance of this prefent Act, if the faid Archbithop, Bithop, or other Ecclellastical Perlon, his or their Executors 92 Administrators, thall Demand Payment for the faid Boufes and Improvements, according to the Certificate granted ; Upon Complaint of the faid Successon or Successons of Dilapidations in the fato Boule, Dut Boules, or Improbements, then, and in luch Cale a Commillion thall be granted in the manner, and with the Powers aforelaid, to Miew and Cramine the faid Buildings and Improbements; And the Commil-Coners Gall return a Just Report of the fame to the Chief Goberna or Governors for the time being, Archbishop or Bishops respectively, tobo, upon bearing the Allegations of eath Party, thatl afcertain fuch bum of Sums as he of thep thall judge reasonable to be allowed for fuch Dilapidations; which faid Sums thall be Deducted out of the Sum of Sums Papable by the Successor of Successors, and Mall by him or them be late out in Repairing fuch Boules, Buildings or Improbements; and luch Successor thall in the space of Twelve Months produce proper Mouchers to the Chief Bobernoz or Bobernozs for the time being. Archbishop of Bishop of the Diocels respectively, that the same has been jufily laid out on luch Repairs.

Provided always, That the above mentioned Act of the Tenth Pear of King William, thall be, and continue in full force in all Points (except where the same is Altered, Amended, Explained and Limitted by this present Act.

Provided also, That nothing in this present Act contained thall Extend, or be construed to Extend to any Certificates granted, or to be granted for Houses or Improvements upon Pensal Lands or Glebes already made or begun, and which have not been Certified for according to the said Act.

And be it kurther Enanted by the Authority akorelaid, That where any Archbishop, Bishop or Dean, shall be disposed to Erect One or more Alms-House or Alms-Houses upon any convenient Place of His Pensal Lands, or other Lands out of Lease, such Archbishop or Bishop, or such Dean with the Consent of the Bishop of the Diocess, under his Episcopal Seal, may Sett apart so much thereof (not erceeding One Acre sor any One Alms-House) as may be susseen for that Use, and may Convey the same by proper Deeds to the Church-Marvens of the Parish, and their Successor sor ever, to be applied to the Use of an Alms-House, and sor no other purpose whatsoever; and that such Church-Marvens and their Successors, shall be and are bereby made Persons capable to Take and to Hold to them and their Successors, any Lands so Granted as associated, so as such Dreds be Registred in the respective Registres of the laid Archbishop or Bishop, which Deeds to Registred shall be Audged a full and estendal Conveyance in the

Law of fuch Part of the fair Penfal or other Lands to long as they continue for the Ale of fuch Alms Poules, and no longer.

And wheteas in several parts of this Kingdom there are large Track of Bogg and Kenny Grounds appertaining to several of the Archbishops and Bishops of this Kingdom, which are, or are reputed to be part of their Demeasu Lands wholly Unimproved, and of little or no advantage to the said Archbishops and Bishops, by reason that no Leases sor any certain Term of Pears can be made thereof for the Encouragement of such Tenants as might unvertake or attempt to Orain or Improve the same, and to the great Detriment of the Publick, as well as of the said Archbishops and Bishops; For Remedy whereof,

Be it Enaced by the Authority aforelaid, That it thall and may be Lawful to and for the leveral Archbishop, with the Consent of the Chief Governor of Governors of this Lingdom for the time being, under his and their Pands and Beals, and to, and for the Overal Bishops, with the Consent of the Atchdishop of the Province under his Pand and Archeipiscopal Seal, to Lease or Demise any partel or parcels of such Bogg or Fenny Grounds to appertaining, or reputed to appertunt to their Demeas Lands sor any Term not exceeding Sixty Pears in Possession without Fine, reserving the best and most Amproved Rent that can be got for such Bogg or Fenny Grounds at the time of making such Lease.

Provided, That every such Arthbiliop or Bishop over and above such Bogg and Kenny Grounds so to be Demised, shall be Possessed of Three Pundred Acres Plantation Peasure of good arable and pasture Lands belonging to his Owelling-Poule as Demealn, and Hall referbe a Curbary sufficient for the Use of such Owelling-Poule, and the Tenants of such Demealn Lands.

Provided also, That no such Lease thall at any time be Renewed to any longer Term than the Term of Twenty One Pears, and that at every such Renewal, the said Land shall be Set at Three fourths of the full Malue of the said Lands at the time of such Renewal.

And whereas several of the Archbishops and Bishops of this kingdom are weized in Right of their respective Archbishopsicks and Bishopricks of large Cracks of Bogg of Boggy and Fenny Grunds, not being
parcel of their Demeasa, which bave hisherto lain wholly Waste and Uneultivated, and have been usually Demised for Cwenty One Prack,
with the Lands of Farms of such Archbishop and Bishop to which
they lie contiguous, and are next adjourning as Pembers and Appurite
nances thereof, without yielding any Rent of Profit to such Archbishop of Bishop, or being of any Real Balue to the Cements that
hold such Lands, by reason of the Sporness of the Cements that
hold such Lands, by reason of the Sporness of the Cements which the
same are Demised.

Be it Enaded by the Authority aforetain, That from and after the first Way of May atoperate, it that and may be Lawful to every Arthbiomp, with the Consent of the Chief Governor of Chief Governors of this

this Kingdom, and for thery Bilhop, with the Concent of the Archbilhop of the Province granted in the manner berein before Directed, to make separate and visiting Meales of all such Traces of Bogg, or Boggy and Fenny Grounds which lie Contiguous to any of their Lands and farms, and of which they are fo Seized as afozelaid, to the leveral and respective Tenants of such Lands of Farms, of it out of Leale to any Perfon or Perfons whatforber for any Term not erceeding Sirty Dears in Pollellion without fine, and at the highelt Rent that can be

had for the came.

Probided always. And be it Enacted by the Authority aforelaid. That if any Archbithop or Bithop, under Colour or Pretence of the Powers hereby granted to Demile tot the Term of Sirty Bears any Trad of Bogg, og Boggy and Fenny Bjounds to abjacent as afozelaid. to any other Lands of farms belonging to the respectibe Archbifhonricks of Bithoppicks, thall include in fuch Demiles any of the profitable Lands belonging to luch farms, or hall leffen or diminich the Dearly Rent, or any part thereof, that now is, or at the time of making such Meale of Sirty Pears, thall be referbed upon luch farm, for which fuch Tracks of Bogg, or Boggy and Fenny Grounds are contiguous and not adjoyning as afozefaid, of include in any fuch Leale not erceeding Sirty Pears as aforetaid, any other Lands belonging to their respective Sees, then, and in all such Cases, every such Lease as aforefaid, thall be utterly Moid to all Intents, Confiruations and Purpoles whatfoever, any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding.

Probided alfo, And be it further Enacted by the Anthority aforefaid. That from and after the Expiration, Surrender, og other Determination of luch Leafe to be made by Mirtue of this prefent Ad, not exceeding Sir. ty Pears as aforefaid, no other or longer Leale of luch Boggy or fenny Gjounds, not in any other manner, thall be made than is preferibed in and by an Ad made in the Tenth and Elebenth Bears of the Reign of Bing Charles the first, Intituled, An Act for the Preservation of the Inheritance, Rights and Profits of Lands belonging to the Church, and

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